

# OPENING DAY DEC. 4.

## THE RACKET STORE

Has decided to have a grand opening Monday, December 4, and will display one of the most complete lines of Holiday Goods ever shown in Guthrie. By carefully studying the wants of the people since opening up the RACKET STORE places us in position to have what you want, and we have got it, and will display them on this day. Everything that can be thought of that ladies, gentlemen, girls, boys and everybody would like for a Christmas present for relative or friend can be found in this large assortment of goods. We cordially invite you to see the most gorgeous display ever shown in the Territory of Oklahoma. Nothing will be for sale in the Racket store on that day, only to look at. Remember the day,

## MONDAY, DEC. 4. The Racket Store.

### BIG RACES NEXT WEEK.

#### SIX NOTED HORSES TO BE ON THE LOCAL TURF.

The Oklahoma Fair Association Arranging for Some Spirited Sport—Belie Mahon and Blazenberg.

From present indications there will be some lively sport at the fair grounds next week. Two days' races will be held and the association will meet to-night to name the days, which will probably be Friday and Saturday.

Yesterday a letter was received from some horse owners, who have just finished the Kansas, Missouri and Texas circuit, asking for two open days on the local fair grounds. Over a dozen noted horses will be here, among them being Blazenberg, the trotter, with a record of 2:18 and Belle Mahon with a record of 2:20. All these animals won big purses at the Dallas State Fair, and they promise to furnish some good sport and lively betting for local lovers of the speed ring. The exact days of the meeting next week will be known Sunday, when all preparations will be made for the races. Book-makers will be on the ground in order to give the sports a chance to test their judgment.

#### SIDE GLANCES.

M. C. Mulvaney, of Nashville, Tenn., has been in the city several days viewing the sights. This is his first visit to Oklahoma and he expresses great surprise at its phenomenal growth and advancement. "Why, I never imagined you had cities like this—meaning Guthrie—in the territory. Although I have read considerable regarding Oklahoma I must confess I am entirely amazed at the immensity of the country. Why, leaving out your western part, the cities and towns are like the ones in the east. As far as I have observed, every branch of business carried on in the east is here. It would repay eastern and southern people to visit Oklahoma. They would open their eyes, I am sure."

There is no more singular feature of the American people than their morbid curiosity. This, of course, is more largely developed in some than in others but all are curious in some degree. A murder, hanging, fire or race court trial will cause scores of people to leave their work in order to see and hear. While an art exhibit, a lecture, flower show or something enabling needs porous plaster attachments make them go. This is true the world over. When Dasset is executed there will be hundreds of people who will work stratagems in order to witness the awful scene. When sentence was pronounced on the poor man the other evening, the district court room would not hold the people.

\*A lawyer who goes out of his way to

### NEARING THE CLOSE.

DISTRICT COURT SOON TO ADJOURN TO COURT IN COURSE.

The Petition Discharged Yesterday and a Healthy Batch of Cases Disposed of.

Judge Dale is rushing matters in district court with unusually vigorous vim. In a few days more court will adjourn till court in course, when the judge will go to Stillwater. Yesterday the petition was discharged for the term. The following cases were disposed of:

Anderson Morris vs. Santa Fe; judgment by confession \$9.35 against plaintiff and costs to be paid by plaintiff.

Lydia Hunt vs. Marion LePaire, et al. decree of foreclosure; mortgage granted.

Copeland vs. McClelland Cattle company; judgment for plaintiff for \$230 and costs. This was the fourth trial of this case.

John Deemer vs. J. J. Heim; change of venue to Oklahoma county; granted.

People's Savings Bank, of Chillicothe, Mo., vs. John Druce, et al.; same.

John Parker vs. Sophie Adams, to set aside deed; judgment for defendant.

T. S. Hance vs. W. M. Crooks, application for receiver to collect certain rents; judgment for defendant for \$227.50.

Clem Black vs. Andrew Botkin, et al. foreclosure of mortgage; judgment for plaintiff.

E. R. McKennon administrators vs. Harry Colton, suit to quiet title, trial in progress.

### THE DOORS CLOSED.

The Guthrie Young Men's Christian Association is no more.

The Y. M. C. A. of this city was closed yesterday on account of non-support. This will be sad and painful news to the many Christian parents and sons of Guthrie, but the step could not be prevented unless heavy indebtedness was entailed, which Secretary Gates thought best to avoid and as a consequence he locked the doors of a laudable institution. In no branch of the great cause of Christianity has such great strides been made as in this country and it is a shame that the local association had to succumb. That these associations do great good in dealing with boys and young men, in keeping them from the dens of vice is a statement that bears no refutation. Some of the noblest Christian men in the land are engaged in Y. M. C. A. work and their efforts are being crowned with success. The present hard times is no reason to advance for the non-support of the local Y. M. C. A. which while it existed did great good. To the Christian women of the city is due the praise for the maintenance of the institution.

### SECRETARY NOTES.

We do not pretend to say that a Young Men's Christian Association would save all of the boys and young men of Guthrie from the traps and pitfalls calculated to effect their ruin, but we do say that it is within the power of the citizens of Guthrie to make the environments of their young men to a higher and better, purer and nobler life, and that the responsibility of doing so is a thing that must be shouldered by an Almighty Judge. If Guthrie is known to be a city under ruler rule, with morals at a low ebb, good citizens with boys and girls that they love as the apple of their eye, will neither be invited to come nor to stay. We desire to express our gratitude at this time to the faithful band of consecrated mothers and sisters forming an auxiliary to the Young Men's Christian Association, and to the earnest Christian young men and others who have assisted in the association and jail work during our stay in the city. A statement of money received and expended in the interest of our work during the time we have been engaged here, as secretary of the association, will be given the public in the near future.

### BITTEN BY A MAD DOG.

Johnny Marshall's Terrible Fight with a Canine.

Johnny Marshall, a young man aged about 18 years, and residing with his parents on a claim about twenty miles east of the city, is confined to his bed on account of injuries received from a dog, supposed to have been mad.

Thursday evening young Marshall went out to the pasture not far distant from the house to milk cows. As he was taking the wire from a gate, he was startled by a short bark and looking around beheld a shaggy dog. Marshall stooped to pick up a missile to strike the dog when the animal sprang on the young farmer. The teeth of the cur were sunk into Marshall's leg in three places and his hands and arms were badly scratched and lacerated. Upon the boy's father coming to the rescue, the dog ran but was subsequently killed by a neighboring farmer. Young Marshall was taken to the house, where his wounds were dressed, and since that time he has been sick. The dog was frothing slightly at the mouth when he attacked the young man and the Marshalls fear that he was mad. Young Marshall's illness will be closely watched, as hydrophobia may result.

Miss Mary Lou Brooke wishes music pupils either on piano or organ. Call on or address 111 East Noble avenue. References: Rev. C. W. Tyler and Bishop Brooke.

The New York Weekly World and Weekly LEADER one year for \$1.50.

### HE WANTED SALVATION.

Almost a sensation was occasioned the other night in the Salvation Army hall during the service by a well-jagged attorney demanding salvation and insisting on having it at once. He fooled the army for awhile, but the captain finally ran foul of his breath and had an officer remove him and it.

### MORE INDIAN LAW BREAKERS.

The sight of painted and blanketed Indians on the street is growing common. Yesterday another batch of

reds was brought to the city by Deputy marshals to answer to the charge of selling whisky in the Osage country.

### LIGHTS AND SHADOWS.

The Happenings of a Day Faithfully Chronicled.

Muzzling the Dog. The dog was so good natured that the tramps had turned him down. So they put a muzzle on him. And he terrified the town.

R. C. Charles, of Chadron, Neb., is in the city.

Honore O'Neal, the painter, left last evening for Philadelphia.

Rufus Adams, an aged man, is soliciting aims in order to carry him back to his old home at Pine Bluff, Ark.

A. B. Rice, who with his family moved to Wellington, Kan., a few weeks ago, has returned to Guthrie.

Woodward and county N claim the honor of having the first school in the strip. The attendance numbers forty. Miss Nellie Vincent is teacher.

W. H. Bellamy, register of deeds for Cleveland county, died at Norman, Tuesday night.

The Oklahoma county teachers' association convenes at Edmund, November 11.

At the Palace: Frank Worcester, Fort Scott, Kan.; J. D. Pierce, Youngville, N. C.; T. J. Taylor, Perry; P. Henning, Wichita; E. F. Hudson, Joe Abbott, Oklahoma City; Frank R. Ellis, Garden City, Mo.; M. V. Bentley, Shawnee, O. T.; Frank Russell, Chicago.

City Councilman Todd is moving his family to Perry.

William Watson is dangerously ill with typhoid fever.

Dr. Pinquard has moved his office from over the Capital National bank to a splendid suite of rooms in the Victor block.

Two buns were run in yesterday by the police.

Eight wagon loads of cotton were brought to the city yesterday from near Langston.

Governor Swineford and wife returned yesterday from Oklahoma City. As stated in THE LEADER they were royally entertained by our neighbors on the south.

Excavations are being made on south First street for Shraun's city scales.

Workmen yesterday began breaking ground for Sch. 1's new business block on Oklahoma avenue between First and Division streets.

The C. L. S. C. will meet with Miss Margaret Reese Saturday, Nov. 11, at 2 p. m.

Joe McNally, the well known United States marshal has moved from Gainesville, Tex., to this territory and will probably re-enter the service of Marshal Nix.

Ponca City is preparing for a grand celebration on the 16th inst. to commemorate the completion of the school house there. A barbecue, banquet and ball will be given.

William Roach was found not guilty of criminal assault by a jury at Oklahoma City yesterday.

John Cunningham is wanted at Oklahoma City for a criminal assault on a 11-year old girl named Dean at that place.

Cotton and corn continue to roll into Norman's market in increasing volume, and the merchants report a good trade.

A prairie fire north and west of El Reno destroyed a large quantity of hay for some unfortunate farmer night before last.

Arrangements are being made in El Reno for a reception to be tendered Gen. Miles and Col. Cody upon their arrival in that city on the 13th inst. from Chicago.

Special silk sale at Ramsay's Monday.

Manufacturers stock of odd lengths of silks, 1 yard to 16 yards at half price on sale at Ramsay's Monday.

A chance to get a silk dress at manufacturers cost at Ramsay's Monday.

New fresh fall silks on sale at wholesale prices at Ramsay's Monday.

First time in the history of Guthrie that the ladies have had an opportunity of buying a silk dress at manufacturers cost at Ramsay's Monday.

Mrs. Moreland, of the Royal, was in Oklahoma City yesterday.

Mrs. H. Wilkinson, of Oklahoma City, visited friends in the city yesterday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Russell, a boy.

Mrs. J. A. Gilbert returned from Perry yesterday.

Chas. J. Dolk and Captain Behers returned yesterday from a trip through the Osage country.

Miss Alice Veatch has returned from Perry.

W. A. Bassett, of Langston, Kas., is the guest of his brother Frank.

Supt. A. G. Gates visited Kingfisher yesterday.

Marshall Nix is home from Tecumseh.

Mrs. C. W. Wilder visited Perry yesterday.

Lee Wisby was here from Perry yesterday attending court.

At Lyon's cash grocery house: 15 pounds granulated sugar for \$1. fresh Concord grapes at 25 cents a basket. 25 pounds rice for \$1. six pounds of starch for 25 cents.

At the Royal: J. A. Moore, Perry; T. M. Deal, city; J. M. White, Louisville; J. A. Pence, Kansas City; W. F. Thorne, Oklahoma City; Geo. Tackabey, Topeka; E. H. Lahrman, Buffalo; W. L. Sharp, Chicago; Ed M. Cline, Kansas City; Joe McEachin, St. Louis; J. H. Kirg, Perry; W. T. Tate, St. Louis; W. A. Welchin, Milwaukee.

Have you tried those cigars at Little's drug store? 228-14

The basement under Little's drug store will be for rent after November 1. The best location for a barber shop in the city.

Money to loan on city property. School, city and territorial warrants bought. Enquire of Young & Walters, Room 5, 114 Ok. Ave. 2w

Stage leaves Guthrie daily at 7 a. m. via Partridge, Carney & Spere; arrives at Chandler at 4 p. m. Leaves Chandler daily at 7 a. m., arrives at Guthrie at 4 p. m. Office at Gus Rhoads' cigar store.

# Sensational Sale!

Sensational Prices.



Sensational Goods.

We have inaugurated the most sensational sale of Men's, Boys and Children's Suits and Overcoats ever before attempted in this territory. It will doubly repay you to investigate. No old auction stuff, no odds and ends, but bright, new, fresh fall and winter merchandise for wear, fit and workmanship can only be equaled in the largest cities in the country.

Sensational Prices on Men's Suits.

Sensational Prices on Men's Overcoats.

Sensational Prices on Men's Underwear.

Sensational Prices on Hats and Neckwear.

Sensational Prices on Furnishing Goods.

Sensational Prices on Boys' Suits.

In fact, we are out for a sensation on prices. Good, honest, ready-to-wear clothing never was and perhaps never will be sold at the prices we have made for this great sensational sale. We have not the space to quote prices. Come and see us. Get reliable goods for less money than you would pay for inferior stuff elsewhere. Attend this sale, it will save you money.

## BEE HIVE CLOTHING COMPANY.

## New York Hardware Store

222 OKLAHOMA AVENUE.

The most complete line of Heating and Cook Stoves in the city, at prices to suit all. Also carry a full line of oil heaters. A full line of Shelf and Heavy Hardware. Everything in the Sporting Goods line. Genuine Glidden Barbed Wire a specialty.

## Farquharson & Morris.

Our branch house at Perry is complete in every Department.

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Lumber, Sash, Doors,

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## BIG REDUCTION IN WALL PAPER.

Now is the time to paper your homes. In order to make room for our large spring stock of Wall Paper, which will begin to arrive in about thirty days, we will sell for the next thirty days wall paper and paints at prices that will surprise you. We have the largest stock in the city to select from, and we can sure suit you, both in prices and paper, if you will look at our stock.

We have just received a full line of Colgate & Co.'s FINE PERFUMES AND TOILET SOAPS, which we would be pleased to show you. We are headquarters for

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